

## Secretary McAdoo Returns from Spring Lake; Attorney General Reaches Washington Today; Mrs. Joseph Falk Concludes Tennessee Visit Other News of Society at the Capital

The Secretary of the Treasury returned yesterday morning from Spring Lake, N. J., where he spent the week-end with Mrs. McAdoo.

The Attorney General, who spent several days at Monterey, Pa., with Mrs. Gregory and their family, will return to Washington today.

Mrs. Gregory will have as her guest for several weeks Mrs. Philip Rabel, who will leave Washington for Monterey today.

Mrs. Joseph Falk will return to Washington today from Jackson, Tenn., where she has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. E. P. Glass, for a month.

Mr. Falk, who went to New York for the week-end, returned yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fitch Shepard and Miss Alice Shepard left Washington yesterday to motor to Jamestown, R. I., where they have taken a cottage for the summer. They will stop at Delaware Water Gap, and will spend several days at Tuxedo Park en route.

Mrs. Charles Nelson Riker and her mother, Mrs. William F. Dennis, went to Atlantic City yesterday for a stay of six weeks.

The ladies of the Columbia Country Club will hold their semi-monthly card party at the club house, Chevy Chase, Md., on Wednesday at 2 o'clock.

These parties will be discontinued during the month of August.

The Italian Ambassador, Count Macchi di Cellera, has returned to Pich Pine Hall, at Beverly Farms, after a visit to Newport.

The Minister of Portugal, Viscount d'Alto, was among the guests at the weekly dance at the Swimming Club at Bar Harbor.

Mr. William H. Emory, Jr., son of Rear Admiral Emory, U. S. N., retired, and Mrs. Emory, has arrived from England to visit his parents at Newport. Mrs. F. A. Berkeley Portman, of Warrington, Va., a friend of the Emory family also arrived from England. Mr. Emory has been at the front in the English army and is suffering from shell shock. One of the last personal matters that Lord Rotherham supervised was the release of Admiral Emory's son from his enlistment.

Mrs. Bristol, wife of Capt. Mark Bristol, U. S. N., has closed her home in Massachusetts avenue, and has left Bar Harbor, where she is visiting Mrs. Alexander Brown.

Mr. Arthur C. Brody, a student of George Washington University, has gone to a house party at Virginia Beach as the guest of Mr. Reginald Whitehurst.

Rear Admiral Bradley A. Fiske, U. S. N., retired, and Mrs. Fiske, led the dance given at Stockbridge, Mass., Saturday evening.

Mrs. Stephen B. Elkins has arrived at White Sulphur Springs from Haleshurst, W. Va. Mrs. Elkins has joined her husband at White Sulphur Springs. Messrs. David and Richard Elkins are also there.

Mr. and Mrs. Feltre Yerbide are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Jerome N. Bonaparte at their cottage at Newport.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Duncan gave a dinner, followed by dancing, Saturday evening at Bonnercrest, their Newport villa. Their guests at dinner were the Spanish Ambassador and Mme. Riano, Mrs. Charles S. Whitman, Mrs. Richard T. Wilson, Dr. and Mrs. Alexander Hamilton Rice, Mr. and Mrs. T. Sufferer Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Biddle, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer F. Eddy, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stewart Barney, Mr. and Mrs. J. Norman Der Whitehouse, Mrs. and Mrs. Harry La Montagne, Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs, Miss Mabel Gerry, Baron Renaud d'Ungern Sternberg, the Russian Embassy, Lieut. Commander Clark H. Woodward, U. S. N., and Messrs. Hubert Litchfield, Cecil D. Landale and Robert Little McKee.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Graham Glasgow, who have leased "The Corners," Bishop Darrington's place at Newport, entertained at luncheon Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas C. Coleman is staying at the Hotel Lafayette. Other arrivals at the Hotel Lafayette are Mr. C. N. Strotz and Mr. S. N. Strotz, both of Chicago, Ill.; Miss Ruth Miller and the Misses Olga and Edna Hiese, of Mount Vernon, N. Y.; Mr. G. H. Slocum and daughter, and Mr. J. D. Cone, of New York City.

Mrs. James F. Curtis has leased for the season the Highland cottage at Manchester, Mass., for several summers occupied by the Italian Embassy, now established at Beverly Farms.

Mrs. Bartlett Arkell and Mrs. E. N. Hepburn, of New York, accompanied by Miss Susanne S. Grigsby, of Lexington, Ky., and Mr. John H. Hughes, of San Francisco, have motored down to Washington for a short visit and are stopping at the Shoreham.

Mr. Levi Smith, of Tampico, Mexico, arrived in Washington yesterday and is located at the Shoreham.

Rear Admiral French E. Chadwick, U. S. N., retired, and Mrs. Chadwick, have arrived in Saratoga Springs to pass the season.

Mrs. Frank L. Pleadwell, wife of Surgeon Pleadwell, U. S. N., during the absence of her husband on his present European detail, will close her house on B street and spend the summer in the Adirondacks.

Senator and Mrs. William S. Kenyon have as guests at the Brighton Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Duncomb, of Fort Dodge, Iowa, who will remain for several days.

Mrs. Henry B. Gilpin and Miss Agnes P. Page, of Borce, Va., have come down to

## EMBROIDERED BATISTE WITH BLUE SILK GIRDLE



The girlish, summery frock of embroidered batiste is again in favor and it appears in many a modish wardrobe this season. In the model pictured the double skirt is formed of two full gathered flounces of the batiste and a draped tunic cut away on either side. The bodice has long set-in sleeves and is trimmed with lace, which falls over the blue silk girdle in front. The ribbon straps on the collar are also of blue silk.

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## PERSONALITIES I HAVE MET.

Fannie Ward.

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WHEN one writes of Fannie Ward, the first thing one speaks of is her beauty and the next thing her jewels. I was much amused by a cunning little interview with her in one of this month's magazines that began: "Good morning, Fannie!" "Good morning, Mack!" "Say, Fannie, I've got to write an interview with you!"

"All right, shoot! But for the love of Mike, don't write about my jewelry—you've worked it to death!"

Still, one must talk about Miss Ward's wonderful pearls, valued at a quarter of a million dollars, pearls so perfectly matched a princess might envy them.

For many, many years I had admired her across the footlights, but I was not fortunate in meeting her until last year in Southern California, at the reception given to Geraldine Farrar.

"Why," I exclaimed when we were introduced, "you are such a little thing!"

"But no littler than you!" and we eyed each other, both laughing.

"But you look so much larger across the footlights!"

"And you look quite a big girl in the films!"

It is true. I think most people are surprised when they see actresses off the stage and screen, for some of the tiniest look quite imposing at long range.

Of course, one of the first questions I asked her was how she enjoyed playing in pictures.

"I have some fun," she replied, "I like the climate out here, but the only grudge I have against California is that it is three thousand miles away from Broadway. You know I am one of the regular lovers of New York, and when I made up my mind to play in pictures, I saw that it was put into my contract that Miss Ward must be allowed her tri-yearly flights to the Great White Way."

"Yes, and I'll wager that you take back trunks and trunks of excess baggage," I said, because Miss Ward has the reputation of being one of the best dressed women of the stage, and a truly feminine lover of beautiful clothes.

"Have you seen any of my screen work?" she asked me, and I told her I had seen her in a splendid picture, "The Cheat," which of course called forth many sincere compliments upon her acting and her beauty on the screen.

"The joke of it all to me," she laughed, "is that I always thought I was a clever comedian and they have not given me a chance to do anything but drama. They astounded even me by telling me I was a dramatic artist and not a comedienne."

To you who do not know the story of Fannie Ward, I am just going to give away one little secret and tell you that just a few years ago Miss Ward gave up a magnificent estate in England, yachts, private cars, an enviable social position in English society, and everything that millions can buy, to return to the stage, all her art and her genius calling her back to the footlights.

"Luxury must be a phase in everyone's life to make it complete," Miss Ward remarked, "and I suppose that some day I will discover that the happiest years will be those I shall spend sitting in a big, comfortable rocking chair in a pretty, artistic little home, and darning my own stockings!"

"Do tell me what Fannie Ward looks like off the stage and off the screen," some of her enthusiastic admirers asked me the other day; and this is how I described her.

"In the first place," I reflected, "she is more like a little dainty Dresden doll than any one else I have ever seen. One might call her

a Marie Antoinette of the twentieth century, she is so aristocratically lithe and slender. And then, she has a scarlet rosy mouth, red-golden hair, and great star eyes, deep blue with a fringe of black lashes which veils them and gives them a most mischievous twinkle."

Watch for Fannie Ward in pictures. I know you will like her, although you will miss her little, bird-like voice, which has all the qualities of a little girl who is destined never to grow up.

Answers to Correspondents.

Mabel B-Bivian Martin was the principal character in "The Wishing Ring." Chester Barnett played the opposite role.

B. D.—"The Family Cupboard" was filmed some time ago by the World Film Corporation and Holbrook Blinn, Frances Nelson and John Hines took the leading roles. You can learn when it will be seen in your town and at what theater by writing the above company.

I. L.—Eugene O'Brien played the role of Hugh Carroll, the District Attorney, in "Poor Little Peppina." "The Making of a Hero" was a Cort Film.

N. K.—Ella Hall played the role of "Jewel" in the photoplay by that name; other members of the cast were Rupert Julian as Mr. Ervingham; Frank Elliott as Lawrence, the elder son; Miss Brownell as Eloise, the daughter of Lawrence; T. D. Crittenden as Harry Ervingham, the younger son; Lule Warrington as the housekeeper, and T. W. Gwendolam as Dr. Ballard.

P. T.—"Bella Donna," in which Pauline Frederick played the leading role, was not filmed in Egypt. Its wonderful Egyptian atmosphere was secured in Florida!

Mary Pickford.

CAR NOISES ANNOY.

Church Deacons Complain to Utilities Board.

"The noise of the cars that pass our church on Sunday is intolerable," says a complaint filed yesterday with the Public Utilities Commission by deacons of the Florida Avenue Baptist Church.

The deacons say that the cars of the Capital Traction Company run too fast during the services on Sunday, and ask that the commission have the "speed" lowered during the periods between 11 and 1 o'clock and 7 and 9 in the evening. The complaint was signed by James Langhorne, J. H. Wright and Maj. Towles.

Germany Raises Age Limit.

Copenhagen, July 17.—It is reported that Germany has raised the military age limit above 41.

Why Society Women Wash Their Own Hair

Few realize how many society women now wash their own hair, not because it is a fad, but because they wish to obtain the greatest possible hair beauty and be sure they are not using anything harmful. The thousands who have found that in washing the hair it is never wise to use a makeshift, but is always advisable to use a preparation made for shampooing only, say they get the best results from a simple home-made canthorix mixture. You can enjoy this, the best that is known, for about three cents a shampoo by getting some canthorix from your druggist and dissolving a teaspoonful in a cup of hot water. Your shampoo is now ready. After its use the hair dries rapidly with uniform color. Dandruff, excess oil and dirt are dissolved and entirely disappear. Your hair will be so fluffy that it will look much heavier than it is. Its luster and softness will also delight you, while the stimulated scalp gains the health which insures hair growth.—Adv.

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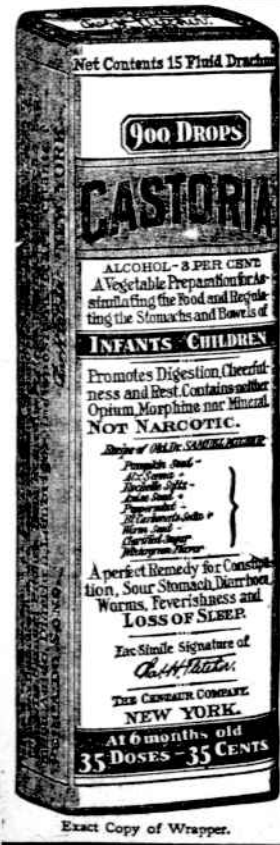
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## START ON VACATION; WED.

Ralph Benton and Miss Claiborne Married in Baltimore.

Friends of Ralph Webster Benton, in Washington, have been surprised to learn of his wedding to Miss Dana Elizabeth Claiborne in Baltimore on Monday.

Benton, who connected with George Washington University, and is well known as a newspaper man, has been engaged to Miss Claiborne for more than a year. It is said.

They told friends they were going away for a two-week vacation, and they did, but they were married by Rev. Joseph Snyder in Baltimore before starting for a honeymoon and vacation in New York and Atlantic City. The romance began ten years ago, when Benton took the role of bridegroom and Miss Claiborne acted as bride, in a mock wedding at Hamline M. E. Church.

Miss Claiborne is a graduate of Business High School and daughter of John H. Claiborne, of 30 Randolph street northwest. Benton is a graduate of George Washington University, where he has been editor of the Washington Herald for several months.

After their return next week Mr. and Mrs. Benton will be at home in the Ripley apartments.

SIDETRACK MINIMUM WAGE BILL

Will Prevent Consideration at This Session.

In a fifteen-minute session yesterday the House succeeded in sidetracking the Nolan minimum wage bill in a manner that will prevent its consideration until the next session of Congress.

Out of respect to Representative Moss, of West Virginia, the House adjourned before the California representative had an opportunity to secure recognition for the consideration of his \$3 a day minimum wage bill under a suspension of the rules.

Air-tight cases have been patented for protecting tennis rackets and balls from dampness.